

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Jean-Pierre Mao CONFIRMATION NO.: 8860  
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TITLE: PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR DETERMINISTIC TRANSMISSION OF  
ASYNCHRONOUS DATA IN PACKETS  
EXAMINER: Sefcheck, Gregory B.  
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**AMENDMENT AND/OR RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 11, 2008, please amend the subject application as indicated.

**Amendments to the Claims**, if any, are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page **2**.

**Remarks** begin on page **4**.